

Alexandria Gazette

THURSDAY EVENING, FEB. 22, 1906.

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 6:43 a. m. and sets at 5:46 p. m. High water at 7:41 a. m. and 8:00 p. m.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section fair tonight, colder in the interior. Friday fair, warmer in the interior; fresh north to east winds.

The Clements-Lyon Suit.

As heretofore stated in the Gazette Mr. James E. Clements, of Alexandria county, former superintendent of schools of that county, has instituted suit for \$20,000 damages against Frank Lyons, of that county. Mr. Clements says the case will be one of the most hotly contested "and much litigated" in the recent history of the State. It is understood that each side is confident that it will finally reach the Court of Appeals. The trouble between the two men originated more than a year ago. The damages are asked because of alleged injuries received by Mr. Clements at the hands of Mr. Lyons in a personal encounter in the office of the latter over a year ago. The bill alleges that the plaintiff was permanently injured by reason of blows about the head at the base of the brain. The bill alleges that the mind, memory and health of the plaintiff were seriously affected by the blows administered by the defendant.

Lyon and Clements have been political opponents for years. It seems that more than a year ago Mr. Lyons, in an article in his paper, used the expression "an inferior breed of dogs," applying it to certain people in Alexandria county. Mr. Clements criticised this expression quite freely. Some days afterwards, he says he was invited by Mr. Lyons to come into his office in the courthouse, and that when he did so was attacked.

Mr. Clements and Mr. Lyons engaged in a personal encounter, which lasted some time, in the course of which the former fired two or three shots, without injuring his antagonist. Mr. Clements says he does not habitually carry a weapon, but happened to have one in his pocket on this occasion, as he had had to cross the bridge from Washington the night previous with a considerable sum of money on his person.

A warrant for the arrest of Mr. Clements was issued soon after the encounter, and two policemen of Washington and the Commonwealth's attorney of Alexandria county remained before his office until a late hour at night waiting for him to come out to arrest him. The officers were finally taken away by order of the district attorney of Washington.

Mr. Clements had a preliminary hearing the following day, but was not held. The case is attracting much attention in Alexandria county, and in this city, where both plaintiff and defendant are known. It will come up at the April term of the Circuit Court in Alexandria, Judge Nicol presiding. Judge J. K. M. Norton will represent the plaintiff, and other distinguished counsel will be associated with him.

Launching of the Jamestown.

The new steamer Jamestown, which is building at the Newport News shipyard for the Norfolk and Washington Steamboat Company will be launched with appropriate ceremonies Saturday, March 17, and not the 15th, as was first proposed. The launching will be witnessed by the officials of the Norfolk and Washington company and a large number of invited guests. As has been stated the young daughter of Mr. Clarence Norment will be sponsor for the new steamer. Mr. John Callahan, general manager of the Norfolk and Washington company, returned to Washington Tuesday from a visit to the shipyard where the steamer is building, and reports work well advanced on the boat. The Jamestown is being built for daylight service on the Potomac, and will run to Norfolk during the Jamestown Exposition next year. She is to be an absolute fireproof boat, and no wood will be used in her construction.

Death of an Old Citizen.

Mr. Joseph W. Wells, an old and well-known citizen, died at the Alexandria Hospital yesterday afternoon. The deceased became seriously ill several weeks ago and was placed in the hospital for treatment. His condition later became critical, and it was seen that his death was but a matter of a short time. Mr. Wells was a son of the late William and Elizabeth Wells. He was born at Fairfax Courthouse, but had lived in Alexandria since his boyhood. Over half a century ago he was an apprentice to the late S. N. Aubine, who for many years conducted the shoe business in Alexandria. Upon reaching manhood he followed that occupation and continued in it up to the time of his last illness. The deceased leaves a widow and three children—Messrs. Frank and George Wells and Mrs. Charles A. Haynes.

Memorial Services.

Memorial and patriotic services were held in Christ Church at 10:30 o'clock this morning, under the auspices of the Daughters of the American Revolution. There was a large attendance and considerable interest was manifested.

Rev. R. H. McKim, pastor of Epiphany Church in Washington, and Senator Dubois, of Idaho, made addresses on the life and character of Washington.

The religious services were conducted by Rev. W. J. Morton and Rev. W. A. Brown.

A collection was taken up for the benefit of Pollock Church.

Police Court.

[Justice J. B. Cato presiding.]

The following cases were disposed of this morning:

J. Thomas, colored, arrested by Officer Bell for drunken and disorderly conduct, forfeited his collateral by failure to appear.

Edgar Cornell, arrested by Officer Henderson charged with disorderly conduct, was dismissed.

Holiday.

Today, the anniversary of Washington's birth, is being observed as a municipal and State holiday. All city and Federal offices were closed all or part of the day. The postoffice is keeping holiday hours, and all banks and financial institutions are closed. The schools were given holiday and after the morning hours many of the business houses were closed.

Weddings.

The marriage of Miss Hallie Ramsay, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Ramsay, to Dr. Clement Ellis Conger, of Harrisonburg, took place last night at historic old Christ Church, the ceremony being performed by Rev. William Ambrose Brown, brother-in-law of the bride, who was assisted by the rector, Rev. William J. Morton. The church was beautifully and artistically decorated by Loose. The bride wore a gown of embroidered silk gauze over silk and mousseline de soie and carried a bouquet of Bride's roses. Her only attendant was her sister, Miss Edith Ramsay, who wore a gown of white lace over silk and mousseline de soie and carried American Beauty roses. The groom's best man was Mr. Thomas Clinton Firebaugh, of Harrisonburg. The ushers were Messrs. Edward Stabler Leadbeater, Edward Stabler Fawcett, William Gregory Leadbeater and Edward Henderson Carter. Mr. and Mrs. Conger left for a two weeks' trip going north. They will live near Harrisonburg at Pleasant Valley, Rockingham county. Among those from out of town who attended the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reese, of Washington; Mr. and Mrs. Tarleton Stabler, of Sandy Spring; Mr. Henry Miller, of Sandy Spring; Miss Hallie Huck, of Winchester; Miss Eugenia Fawcett, of Sandy Spring, and Miss Pauline Barry, of Baltimore.

A beautifully arranged home wedding of yesterday was that of Miss Merla F. Brager, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert A. Brager, to Mr. Henry M. Ambach, which took place at 6 o'clock at the residence of the bride's parents, 1739 Eutaw Place, Baltimore. The artistic interior of the home, which is one of the handsomest in that section, was lavishly decorated throughout. The approach of the bride was heralded by the singing of the wedding chorus from "Lohengrin" by Dr. B. Merrill Hopkinson and a double quartette from the Madison Avenue Temple, accompanied by Mr. Miles Farrow upon the organ, the same choir having rendered the hymn "O, Perfect Love," during the seating of the guests. The bride entered upon the arm of the groom, preceded only by the immediate members of the two families, having no attendants. She wore an exquisite robe of duchess lace over white satin and chiffon, with a tulle veil caught with orange blossoms, and carried only a small spray of lilies-of-the-valley. Rev. Dr. Adolph Gutmacher, of Madison Avenue Temple, performed the ceremony. At the conclusion a handsome dinner was served.

Mrs. Brager wore black Brussels lace over black satin and chiffon, with diamond ornaments. During the latter evening Mr. and Mrs. Ambach left on an extensive wedding trip North. On their return they will spend the remainder of the season with Mr. and Mrs. Brager at 1739 Eutaw Place. A large number of very elegant presents were received, including silver of every description, cut glass, jewels, handsome furniture, bric-a-brac and other valuable and costly articles. The father of the bride is an Alexandrian by birth.

Personal.

Miss Mary Custis Lee is visiting friends in Washington. President Roosevelt, Bishop Randolph and Rev. Dr. Carl Grammer, the latter of Norfolk, were invited to take part in the memorial and patriotic services held at Christ Church today, but declined on account of other engagements.

Capt. Matthew Kersey, master of the tug Rosalie, celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of his assuming the command of a tugboat, the 5th of February. The greater portion of the long period has been spent by Captain Kersey in command of tugs on the Potomac river. He has been following the water for more than sixty years.

Mr. G. H. Callahan has gone to Beverly, Mass., to represent Alexandria-Washington Lodge of Masons at the banquet to be given by Beverly Lodge tonight.

After the german at McBurney's Hall last night the officers from the Dolphin and a number of others were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Brockett at their home on Washington street.

Lieut. Gov. Elyson is the guest of Mr. C. C. Carlin.

Dr. W. F. Fisher, pastor of the First Baptist Church in this city, who is now in Martinsburg, W. Va., writes to friends in this city that very successful evangelistic meetings are in progress in that city, and that a large number of converts have been made.

Rev. John A. Wray, formerly pastor of the First Baptist Church in this city, has accepted a call to the Baptist Church in Plant City, Fla.

Pretty Dance.

The Alexandria German Club last night at McBurney's Hall gave their last dance of the season before lent. The dance was largely attended, besides the Alexandrians a large number of ladies and gentlemen from Washington and elsewhere being present. The officers of the U. S. S. Dolphin now lying off the city (attended in their uniforms which added brilliancy to the scene. The officers from Fort Myer were expected but were prevented from coming by the rain. The German was led by Judge Barley and Miss Mittie Herbert and Mr. Harry Beverly and Miss Schiever. The chaperones were Mrs. T. M. Jones, Mrs. L. C. Barley, Mrs. M. F. Smoot, Miss Fannie Dixon, Mrs. Sidney Douglas, Mrs. A. W. Armstrong, Mrs. W. W. Smith, Mrs. A. D. Brockett, Mrs. George Uhler and Mrs. G. A. Mushbach. Supper was served during the evening and all present greatly enjoyed the dance.

Police Commissioners.

The regular meeting of the Police Board was held last night. Mayor Paff presided and all the members were present. On motion, the request of Messrs. Riley & Spinks asking for the appointment of Wm. J. Wilkinson as a special officer, was granted. The request of Louis Brill for the appointment of Fred W. Stroble as a special officer for today was granted, as was also a request of Jas. F. Peyton, chairman of the Twenty-second of February press committee, for appointment of Charles T. Smith and a request of Chas. Kicherer for the appointment of Wm. W. Brown, both for today.

5 lbs Pure Leaf Lard, 50c.

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4 cans Early June Peas, 25c; 4 cans Sugar Corn, 25c; 8 lbs pure Virginia Blackbeast, 25c; 3 qts Navy Beans, 25c; 5 lbs Bucket Apple Butter, 25c; 5 lbs Bucket Fruit Jelly, 25c; 2 cans White Heath Peaches, 25c; 1 lb 50c Tea, green or mixed, 30c.
Feb 2 W. P. WOOLLS & SON,
Royal and Wolfe streets.

Masonic.

Alexandria Washington Lodge of Masons will not give a banquet tonight as is the custom of the lodge on the 22d of February but will celebrate the occasion nevertheless. Grand Master Kemper will pay the lodge an official visit and a buffet lunch will be served during the evening.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

A marriage license was issued in Washington yesterday to Walter E. Burke and Rose L. Price, both of Bealeton.

G. A. Bealor and Emil Schmid, proprietors of the Columbia Iron and Wire Works, of Washington, have purchased a large piece of ground on the Eastern Branch, where they will immediately begin the erection of a large factory and iron foundry.

Deputy Sheriff Pennypacker and Evans conducted a raid Tuesday night upon the house of Delia Grimes, located about one-half mile south of the Long bridge, where the authorities had been informed, police players would congregate. No lights were visible, but the doors were forced. The place was empty. It is believed that the players were tipped off before the arrival of the officers.

The anti-gambling bill now before the legislature will come up before the Senate committee on courts in Richmond tomorrow and an opportunity will be given for an expression of opinion from its advocates before it is reported. It is stated that several friends and opponents of the measure from Alexandria city and county will appear before the committee in behalf of their respective interests. This bill was introduced in the Senate a few days ago by Senator Machen.

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Virginia News.

At the home of Mrs. Laura Fletcher, at Haymarket, Tuesday morning her daughter, Olive Harrison, was married to Mr. Perry R. Curry, of Manatee, Fla. The barn, stables, and outbuildings at "Waverly," the country home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Astley Cooper, near Warrenton, were totally destroyed Tuesday night.

The Culpeper City Council at its session yesterday afternoon put the license tax for saloons at \$1,000 each, wholesale liquor stores at \$250 and poolroom or billiard tables at \$250.

John E. Edwards, a law student at the University of Virginia, died yesterday at Crozet. He was 25 years of age, and third son of the late Rev. W. E. Edwards, of the Virginia Conference, Methodist Episcopal Church South.

Charles P. Bragg, after suffering from total paralysis for several years, died at his home in Warrenton yesterday. He was a member of the Warrenton Rifles, Seventeenth Virginia Infantry, during the civil war, and had been deputy clerk of Fauquier county for a number of years.

Representative Southall wants one of the many battlefields parks now scattered about the country located in Virginia. Yesterday he introduced a bill providing for an investigation of battlefields in and around Petersburg for the purpose of determining whether a battlefield park should be established in that vicinity.

Messrs. Davis & Davis, Washington patent attorneys, report the grant, this week, to citizens of this State, of the following patents: Albert D. Bartlett, of Hampton, shutter-fastener; George W. Lancaster, of Petersburg, railway-crossing; and also the following trade marks: Lynchburg Shoe Co., of Lynchburg, leather boots and shoes; Norfolk Loom Picker Co., of Norfolk, loom-pickers.

Charles C. Lawrence, of Virginia Beach, was in Richmond Tuesday, searching for his wife and little son, who have been missing from home since January 15. He declares his wife and child were lured away by members of a family who lived next door, and that his wife was drugged. The missing woman was formerly Miss Mary E. Gallup, daughter of Nathan Gallup, of Virginia Beach.

The joint executive committee of the Virginia-North Carolina Press Association met in Richmond Monday night and decided to hold the next annual meeting of the joint bodies at the Mecklenburg, Chase City, between June 25 and July 10, the date to be finally decided by the presidents and secretaries of the two organizations. The meeting will be in session in Chase City for two days, after which the members will take a trip by water to Boston.

Fireman C. S. Gayton, of Strasburg, on freight train No. 265, west bound, had his right foot crushed by being run over by his engine yesterday at Front Royal. Gayton only a few minutes previous had left his cab to get a bucket of water and was standing with his back to his engine, awaiting orders, when he was run over. The engine was doing shifting duty in making up the train for its run. Gayton had his wounds dressed by Drs. Cline and Garrison and was immediately sent on a special train to the hospital at Strasburg for treatment.

In Self Defense.

Major Hann, editor and manager of the Constitutional, Esquire, &c., when he was fired upon, four years ago, by Piles, bought a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, of which he says: "It cured me in ten days, and no trouble since." Quickest healer of Burns, Sores, Cuts and Wounds. 25c at E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' drug store.

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DIED.

Wednesday, February 21, 1906, at 1:30 p. m., JOSEPH W. WELLS, son of the late William and Elizabeth Wells. Funeral from the residence of his sister, 113 south West street, tomorrow (Friday) afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Friends and relatives invited.

At the residence, 328 Commerce street, Tuesday, February 20, 1906, Mrs. FLORENCE E. McFARLAND, wife of James M. McFarland, aged 29 years. Funeral from the residence of her aunt, Mrs. C. T. Lytle, 14-9 Prince street, tomorrow (Friday) morning at 10 o'clock. Friends of the family are invited to attend.

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COURT OF APPEALS.

Proceeding of the Supreme Court of Appeals yesterday: Everett Wadley Co. and others vs. Richmond Typographical Union No. 90 and others.

Next cases to be called: Southern Railroad Co. vs. Jones; Schwain vs. Feardley; Richmond S. S. and Iron Co. vs. Denny.

Anti-Semitic Outbreaks.

Berlin, Feb. 22.—Prominent Jews have received information to the effect that an anti-semitic outbreak has occurred at Wjtek, near Gmel, Russia.

A mob of Jew-baiters plundered and burned the homes of 100 Jews and blew up the two synagogues with dynamite. Fifty persons are reported to have been killed and 225 injured.

Railroad Accident.

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 22.—A through freight train westbound on the Panhandle Railroad, collided with a yard engine and its caboose at Carnegie at 4:30 this morning. The yard engine first overturned and the engineer was killed and the fireman fatally injured. Several brakemen were injured, while eight freight cars were derailed and completely demolished.

No business of interest had been transacted in Congress up to 2 o'clock this evening.

George Small, colored, has confessed that he and not Rufus Johnson, colored, murdered Miss Allison in Moorestown, N. J., compelling Governor Stokes to deprive Johnson until the new confession can be investigated.

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A clearance of our winter stocks. This sale is comprehensive. It means odds and ends, short lengths, broken sizes and assortments, small lots—the "remnants" of Women's and Girls' Winter Wraps, Dresses, Furs, Separate Skirts, Waists, Boys' and Youths' Suits, Overcoats and Reefers; Men's Women's and Children's Underwear; Dress Goods, black and colored; Portieres, Heavy Draperies, Table Covers, Rugs. It means winter goods and garments—and all of this season's production—at clearance prices. It also includes articles for daily use about the house, some perfect, some scratched or otherwise defaced. It even includes remnants of the new spring merchandise.

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